October 29, 2010

RE: Notice of Annual Marine Hot Work Industry Meeting – Tuesday, December 7, 2010

Dear Interested Party,

You and your representatives are invited to a meeting for members of the marine hot work industry to review and discuss proposed changes to Seattle Fire Department Administrative Rule 26.01.09 – *Cutting Welding and Other Hot Work on Marine Vessels*, and Administrative Rule 26.02.09 – *Designated Hot Work Facilities and Shipyards*. This meeting is held annually to help maintain good communication between the Fire Department and the marine hot work industry.

This year's meeting will be held **Tuesday**, **December 7**, **2010**, **from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM** at the City of Seattle's Joint Training Facility located at 9401 Meyers Way South.

The purpose of the meeting will be to focus on how well the current rules and inspection program are meeting the needs of the local marine hot work industry and to review any proposed changes to the existing Administrative Rule.

Administrative Rules 26.01.09 and 26.02.09 were first implemented in April 1997 and have been modified several times over the years based on the comments we have received during these very productive and informative meetings.

Participation in this meeting also offers you an opportunity to meet with me to express your comments on the program and the rules that impact your daily activities. I highly encourage you and your representatives to attend.

If you have questions, please contact the Marine Lieutenant, Deborah Williams, at (206) 386-1340. I look forward to seeing you there.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Chief John H. Nelsen

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